

Worship on the Lord's Day
Easter Sunday
Sunday, April 4, 2010 - 9:00 a.m.

Prelude *Thine is the Glory* – arr. Albin Whitworth **Dr. Kui-Im Lee**

Welcome and News of the Church **Dr. Scott Paczkowski**

Introit *All Men, All Things* - F. Mendelssohn **Chancel Choir**

Call to Worship **Rev. Tricia Jacobs**

One: Glory to you, O God:

All: on this day you won victory over death, raising Jesus from the grave and giving us eternal life.

One: Let us worship the risen Lord!

***Easter Hymn** *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* #288 **W.I.G.**

*** Prayer of Confession (Unison)** **Rev. Jacobs**

Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We overlook the poor and the hungry, and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed, and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak, and abuse the earth you made.

Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord.

Amen.

***Assurance of Pardon** (1 Corinthians 15:20ff from The Message) **Rev. Jacobs**

One: The truth is that Christ has been raised up, the first in a long legacy of those who are going to leave the cemeteries. There is a nice symmetry in this:

All: Death initially came by a man, and resurrection from death came by a man.

One: Everyone dies in Adam; everyone comes alive in Christ.

All: But we have to wait our turn: Christ is first, then those with him at his Coming,

One: the grand consummation when, after crushing the opposition, he hands over his kingdom to God the Father.

All: He won't let up until the last enemy is down- and the very last enemy is death!

***Gloria Patri** #734

A Moment with the Children "Made New" **Scott Cose**

Prayer of the People/The Lord's Prayer **Rev. Jacobs**

Amen Response **Chancel Choir**

Offering as our Response to God's Grace

Offertory *Christ Is Risen* – J. S. Bach, arr. Michael Burkhardt **Chancel Choir**
Cara Keidel-Schmidt, Ruth Kiang – Violin; Cassie Frost, Emily Cornish – Oboe
Katie Yarwood, Grace Han – Flute; Michael Sturgeon – Cello
Nick Flores – Timpani, Dr. Kui-Im Lee - Organ

***Doxology**

***Prayer of Dedication** **Rev. Jacobs**

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 **Rev. Jacobs**

New Testament Lesson Mark 16:1-8 **Dr. Paczkowski**

Sermon "Unfinished Easter" **Dr. Paczkowski**

***Closing Hymn** *Because He Lives* #447 **W.I.G.**

Benediction **Rev. Jacobs**

***Choral Response** **Chancel Choir**

***Postlude** *Postlude on "Easter Hymn"* – Gordon Young **Dr. Lee**

(*Congregation Stands)

Enter to worship. Depart to serve.

Congratulations to Mike and Dodie Young on the birth of their son, John Raines, who was born on March 24th. John's proud grandparents are Rick and Cathy Young.

Calendar of Events

Today, Sunday, April 4 - Easter

9:00am Worship – Sanctuary
10:10am Sunday School
11:15am Worship – Shared Life Center

Monday, April 5

5:15pm Nominating Meeting
6:00pm Dance Task Force Meeting
7:00pm Christian Education Meeting

Tuesday, April 6

6:45am Philadelphia Club
8:30am Prayer
9:30am FMO
9:30am SonShine (Friendship Village)
5:30pm Dance
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, April 7

5:15pm Discovery Night
Menu: Loaded Hot Dogs, Chips, Dessert

Thursday, April 8

9:00am Piecemakers
6:30pm TOPS

Friday, April 9

5:00pm Confirmation lock-In
6:00pm Waterbury/Hildahl Rehearsal
7:00pm Alanon

Saturday, April 10

10:00am Confirmation Lock-In concludes
4:30pm Waterbury/Hildahl Wedding

Sunday, April 11

9:00am Worship – Sanctuary – Benoit Baptism - Communion
10:10am Sunday School
11:15am Worship – Shared Life Center - Communion

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